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FINDINGS OF SENATE COM.

It has been learned from very good sources that the Senate Investigation of the State Insurance Fund resulted in finding that in so far as the mines were concerned they were in the red with the state and that instead of the state making money from the mines they actually were out money. The result is seen in the raise of the insurance rate from $9.33 to $10.54.

Further it has been learned that the conclusion to which the Investigating Committee arrived was to the effect that a great deal of the trouble is due to the carelessness of the miners themselves. Often uncrupulous doctors in the larger centers prolong the treatment of the injured men beyond the necessary time for the sake of the additional fee. This condition is not found where the local doctors are themselves interested in the welfare of the mines.

A suggestion has been made that the mines follow the plan of the Southern Pacific in having the Safety Organization. Through this method the Southern Pacific has been able to cut down their accidents to a large extent. We have not the exact figures but the number of accidents lessens each year while the mine accidents increases.

Lack of proper inspection is another cause contributing to the large percentage of accidents. Under the present system there is not enough men in the department to give adequate mine inspection, Assemblyman Seawell plans to take up the matter with Vandergrift and see u more appropriations could be given to the department to allow for more inspectors.

Much has been said relative to the low rate charged mines in other states in comparison with the California rate but this is because California is more generous to the men. Nevada for instance with a low rate of 2 plus allows a death benefit of only $500 whereas in this state $5000 is given.

The Senate committee have not yet completed their investigations. A complete report will be given later.

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VISITED RURAL SCHOOLS

Mrs. Ella M. Austin, County Superintendent of schools, has spent several busy weeks paying official visits to distant rural schools. Most of the outlying schools have been visited by Mrs. Austin, she announced.

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BOOK REVIEWER

Mrs. George Hampton, daughter of Judge and Mrs. F. T. Nilon of this city, is acquiring quite a reputation in giving entertaining book reviews before various clubs in San Francisco. On Monday she talked before the Sorosis Club in San Francisco, giving a review of the late book "Angel Pavement." She has also reviewed books before other prominent clubs in the bay city.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN

Thursday, Feb. 12, was the anniversary of one of the greatest men America ever knew either as President or otherwise. A simple democratic man, who did what he thought best regardless of the advice of those around him. In doing this he made enemies within his own cabinet and how Congress fought him! And yet time proved him not only right but wise in his judgment, and today, not only the United States, but all the world honors Abraham Lincoln.

Today we have as the President of this great United States a man who has tried to run the business of this great nation in a business-like manner instead of politically and diplomatically, as has been done in the past. nI doing so he has been done in the past. In doing so he has been severely criticized on every side and again we find a fighting Congress. Time will tell whether Herbert Hoover is wise in his handling of the government or not. Surely he has faced a great crisis. In his keen desire to serve his country he has broken his own health. Let us not wait until the Great Master calls President Hoover before recognizing his worth.

ARGONAUT MINE STRIKES HIGH GRADE ORE IN SHAFT

A new high grade ore discovery has been made on the bottom or 5,800-foot level of the famous Argonaut mine, on the outskirts of Jackson, it is learned from an authentic source. Exploratory work is being vigorously prosecuted to determine the importance on magnitude of the new find. The bottom or 5,8000-foot level of the mine is slightly more than 4,600 feet vertically below the surface.

The Kennedy Mining and Milling Company, operating the Kennedy mine, the deppest gold mine in the United States, having a vertical depth of 4,800 feet and adjoing the Argonant mine on the north, is meeting with success in its experiments with the oil flotation process in the treatment of its ore, it is learned. By the addition of that method to amalgamation, and concentration losses i tailings have been reduced from $2., to less than 80 cents a ton. As the Kenned'y 60-stamp mill treats an average of 7,000 tons of ore monthly, this saving of around $1,20 a ton, less cost of oil flotation, is highly important.

An entirely new orebody has been disclosed in the Old Eureka mine, often referred to as the Hetty Green mine, at Sutter Creek, acquired five years agoand at present being extensively operated by the Central Eureka Mining Company. On the 2,100-foot level of the Old Eureka, at a point about 550 feet from the shaft, the north drift recently- revealed the new shoot. Thus far the find has been explored for a lateral distance of more than 125 feet, with found. Foptrhern o limityet rthmo northern limit yet to be found. For the length followed the orebody has shown an average width of seven feet and yielded average of $13., a ton in gold, it is officially stated. The north drifts on the 2,000 and 2,300-foot levels of the shaft are being advanced to disclose the upward and downward extensions of the new find, as well as to further open up previously known orebodies. Local mining men attach great significance to thenew discovery.

Robert and Edward Irion, mining men of Los Angles, have acquired, under lease and bond, and resumed development of the Moar mine, about a mile north of Pioneer Station. Past operations on the property include the extension of a 1,000-foot drift tunnel, which in a distance of 600 feet shows three ore shoots, each measuring 100 feet or mare in length, that vary from three to four feet in width and yield assays ranging from $15., to $100., a ton in gold. The new operators have started stoping these oregodies from the tunnel level to thesurface, 400 feet on he dip of the vein,

After an enforced idlesness of several months, due to shortage of water sinoWilliam , Edward and Toby Lagomarsino, brothers, of Sutte Creek , are again active incident to the early resumption of hydraulic placer mining operations with two monitors on the Elephant mine, near Volcano and about 13 miles east of Sutter Creek, which they hold under lease and bond from the William Crocker Estate of San Francisco, the owner.

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CHAMBER OF COMMERCE HOLDS REGULAR MEETING

At its meeting Tuesday night the Nevada City chamber of commerce transacted routine business. The regular monthly bills were allowed and ordered paid.

Judge Raglan Tuttle was re-elected for a two-year term as a member of the Nevada County Board of Regents, representing the Nevada City Chamber of Commerce. Secretary-Manager W. H. Griffiths is the other representative of the local promotional body.

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MINERS RECEIVE INJURIES

Two men came down from the Spanish mine Wednesday for treatment of minor injuries. Dr. A. H. Tickell giving the necessary surgical attention. H. Dallas sustained a crushed toe when a piece of rock dropped on his foot. J. E. Pomeroy had a cut in his cheek caused by a power drill striking him.

EXTREME LACK OF SNOW NOTED IN MOUNTAINS

The seriousness of the present seacon's lack of precipitation is forcibly brought to the attention of anyone traveling into the higher moutains.

For the first time in many years it is now possible, in the middle of February, to drive from Nevada City to Sierra City in less than three hours. The roads are in excellent shape ,in fact they are somewhat dusty into Sierra City.

There is no snow whatever at Sierra City nor is there any to be reached along the highway until a point about five miles above that point is reached.

On the south side of the Sierra Buttes there is no snow below the 5500 foot contour 1300 feet above Sierra City. In normal years there should be eight or ten feet at this elevation.

Several rattlesnakes have been recently killed in this vicinity, being lured from their dens by the warm sunshine. Unless an abundance of snow falls within the next three weeks it is feared there will be a serious water shortage.

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MOVING CONSTRUCTION MACHINERY ON HIGHWAY

Contractor Adams, who built the last unit of the Tahoe-Ukiah highway above Nevada City, was busy moving five truck loads of equipment to Downieville yesterday preparatory to starting the grading of the remaining 4.8 miles of new highway just east of that place.

This will eliminate the last stretch of old road between Downieville and Sierra City and will complete the last link of the Yuba Pass hihway between Nevada City and Sierraville, on the other side of the summit.

Mr. and Mrs. Adams moved to Downieville which will be their headquarters during the construction work. They have leased a house in Downieville.

The work on the new unit will begin ni about two weeks according to Mrs. Adams.

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FUNERAL SERVICES HELD FOR WM. J. FLEWELLEN

The esteem in which William J. Flewellen was held in Nevad City, his home from early boyhood, was attested Wednesday when the funeral services were held in St. Canice Catholic Church. The casket was covered with many beautiful flowers sent by sorrowing relatives and friends.

Rev. Father O'Reilly celebrated a requiem mass, with Rev. Fathers Cummerford, McCabe of San Francisco and Scott of North Columbia in the sanctuary.

Interment was made in the Catholic cemetery on West Broad street, and the following acted as pall bearers: E. M. Rector, Sherman Costello, R. R. Goyne, David T. Richards, James P. Coughlan and William Genasci.

Funeral arrangements were in charge of the Holmes Funeral Home.

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G. W. Hauskins of the Valley Meat Company has moved his family from Sacramento where they formerly resided to this city.

FORD MINE PREPARING TO START OPERATIONS

The Calaveras Development Company, controlled by I. E. Selix, San Francisco merchant, and associates, has completed the dewatering and retimbering of the incline shaft on the Ford mine, a half mile northeast of San Andres, from the collar to the sump bottom, a depth of 750 feet on the dip of its huge Center or main vein, and is proceeding with preliminaries incident to the operation of the property on a large scale. The normal flow of mine water has been established as 65,000 gallons daily, which is being easily handled by the bailer.

Measurements made on the various levels shows the Center vein, to the depth thus far opened up, to have an average width of 38 feet. To the east 250 feet lies the high grade or East vein, which has an average width of eight feet. On the 100-foot level, an east crosscut from the shaft to the East vein is at present being cleaned out and retimbered, where necessary. On the 400 and 700-foot levels, Supt. Joseph E. King is now systematically sampling the ore showings in both veins and will follow in order to make a complete assay the same course on the other levels map of the mine which is credited with an early day production of $300,000., in high grade ore and estimated by engineers to contain immense tonnages of available mill or lower grade ore.

The Woodhouse Mining Company, a close California corporation, owned by W. W. Gibson, inventor of mill and other ore reducing epuipment, and eastern associates , working a force of seven miners in the development of the Woodhouse mine, three miles south of West Point and 14 miles northwest of Mokelumne Hill. Official records show that the Woodhouse mine was one of the first lode mining locations made in California. It was located in 1850 by a party of 16 sailors who deserted their ship atSan Francisco and each of whom, so the story goes, made $15,000., in operations a period of one year through surface operations. Current development work there consists of drifting on the vein, averaging four feet in width, on the 100 and 170-foot of bottom level of an incline shaft. Recent milling operations in the 100-ton plant on the property yielded returns by amalgamation and concentration of $6.50 a ton in gold.

J. H. Farrel and Fred Gibbons, mining engineers of San Francisco and Humbolt, Arizona, respectively, are making excellent progress in the reopening and renewed development, under a lease and bond, of the property of Fred P. Plagemann, of San Francisco, two and a half miles east of West Point and 19 miles northeast of Mokelumne Hill. They have retimbered a 170-foot tunnel and extended it an additional 130 feet on the vein, in addition to sinking a 155-foot of ore assaying $40., to $50., a ton in gold with small silver values, above the 100-foot level.

At their Paymaster property, one and a quarter miles northwest of West Point, Jack Munson, aNevada mining man, and Charles Golta, of West Point, are sinking a compartment and manway incline shaft on a assays $40., a ton in gold, with small vein showing six inches of ore tha silver and lead values. They have attained a depth of 35 feet.

What Are We Going to Do About It?

SAY, DO YOU GUYS KNOW THAT WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY COMES ON SUNDAY THIS YEAR?
GEE, DOES IT?
THAT MEANS WE LOSE A HOLIDAY, GEE
THAT'S A GIP!

PARTICIPATE AMERICAN TREE ASSOCIATION

Laurel Parlor N. D. G. W. is preparing to enroll on the National Honor List of the American Tree Association by planting a tree in anticipation of the Bi-Centennial of Washington in 1932.

A nation wide movement is well under way toward a celebration of that event and the Commission created by Calvin Coolidge when President, is sponsoring the idea of planting trees as a fitting Memorial to the Father of our Country.

Laurel Parlor is the first to announce cooperation in this city and will celebrate Arbor Day of this year by the effort. The location and other details are not completed and the public is invited to make suggestions toward the success of the affair.

Forest Supervisor, R. L. P. Bigelow is giving his approval and support to the committee composed of the following: Mehdames Belle Douglass, Nellie Clarke, Bessie Treglown, Mary Martin, Adeline O'Connor; Misses W. A. Mulloy, Gertrude Goyne.

It is hoped that other organizations and individuals will follow the example of the Native Daughters and literature on the subject may be procured without expense from the American Tree Association, Washington, D. C. Readers will find these pamphlets interesting and instructive.

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MISS WOOD BURIED IN NORTH SAN JUAN

Many friends from along the Ridge gathered in the Methodist church at North San Juan Monday to attend the funeral of the late Miss Mary Elizabeth Wood, for more than half a century a resident of the little town. Many beautiful floral tokens adorned the casket.

Rev. H. H. Buckner of the Methodist church conducted the services. Mrs. Charles Elliott, with Mrs. Buckner as accompanist sang "Abide With Me" and "I Need Thee Every Hour."

Funeral arrangements were in charge of W. R. Jefford and Son.

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ALBERT NELSON FUNERAL HELD AT SIERRA CITY

Most of the people of the town of Sierra City and a large gathering from Downieville attended the funeral of Albert Nelson which was held Tuesday from the Methodist church in Sierra City.

He was born in Sierra City on November 4, 1869 and attended school until he was sixteen years of age Then he was apprenticed to learn the carpenter's trade and he became an expert workman. Rev. H. H. Buckner conducted the funeral services and delivered a brief eulogy in memory of the deceased. A choir rendered several hymns adding to the beauty of the impressiveness of the service.

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ORIENTAL MINE PLANNING TO OPEN UP ON LARGER SCALE

Andy Carey, mill man for the Oriental mine near Alleghany, is home for a few days.

The Oriental Mine is planning to open up later on a larger scale. A deeper shaft will be sunk.

W. A. Hooton is superintendent of the mine.

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BIGLOW MINE UNDER LEASE

T. W. Callender and associates, who have a working lease on the Biglow property at Sierra City from the W. H. Martin heirs, are operating their ten-stamp mill rontinuously on ore carrying a fair percentage of iron and sulphide.

This shoot, it is believed ,will prove to be a extension of the Pearson shoot which was worked in the upper tunnel and produced very high grade ore from a point on the north side of Reis ravine.

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LOCAL COUPLE WED IN AUBURN

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Earl Blevins, formerly connected with the Smith Package Store of of this city and Eula Wilhite also of this city were married in Auburn last week.

MINING MEN TO CONFER WITH GOV

A call has gone out from the Mining Association of California to all mining men to assemble at the State Capitol at Sacramento on Tuesday, February 17 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to confer with the governor upon the present situation of the mining industry and receive his statement defining his proposed policy.

The main object of the conference is to see that the mining industry will have as their director a man thoroughly versed in the knowledge of mining. On December 6th at the annual meeting of the Mining Association of California Charles Gilmore received the uanimous endorsement of the Association.

In a talk with the Executive Secretary of Governor Rolph early this week Mr. Cocrane assured the editor that the Governor was anxious to learn the wants and desires of the people most concerned in making his appointments. If this be so it is most important that a large representative group go on Tuesday before the governor and it is sincerely hoped that Nevada and Sierra Counties will send a large delegation.

The Mining Association has been fighting the battles for the mining industry. Mr. Gilmore and Mr. Brooks have spent their own money in taking trips to San Francisco and elsewhere to see that justice was given to the industry. Now comes the opportunity to show that you are interested in your own industry.

As has been stated heretofore in the columns of The Nugget a large number of bills benefitting the mining industry have been offered in the legislature this session. The majority of these were prepared through the direction of the Mining Association.

Mariposa and El Dorado County are sending large delegations to the meeting next Tuesday, and other counties will be represented.

The Independent Petroleum Producers of California will join in the conference next Tuesday.

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MINING INSURANCE RATE IS BOOSTED

Compensation Insurance increases on March 1, 1931, from $9.42 to $10.54, minimum, on every $100 payroll. On the average miner's wage this means a tax, in addition to his wage, of approximately fifty cents a day. No business can support such a burden. If this rate is permitted to go into effect it means:

1. The gradual extinction of all gold mining properties not already in profitable production.
2. The deflection of all mining capital from California properties.
3. The termination of all further prospecting, without which no new mines can be located.
4. The eventual extinction of gold mining in California.
5. The aggravation of the non-employment situation through depriving miners of their means of livelihood.
6. Restriction of the outlet of agricultural and general supplies in the mining counties.
7. The immediate reduction of mine wages to offset excessive compensation cost.
8. Increase of the growing discontent and unrest caused by ill-advised and subversive legislation which is becoming a national menace.

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BOB CARR IMPROVING

Robert Carr, who was removed from the Jones Memorial Hospital where he was recovering from an amputation of his leg following a hunting accident, is continuing to improve at his home here. He is kept busy receiving numerous callers as Bob has many friends who regretted his accident and are anxious to make is convalescence as cheerful as possible.

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ATTENDED ASSOCIATION MEET

Mrs. Clara Weeks, rural supervisor of the Nevada County Public school, has returned from Chico where she attended a meeting of the Rural Supervisors Association of Northern California. There were a number of fine talks made by leading educators and Mrs. Weeks reports the meeting well attended.

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PRODUCION OF GOLD SAID TO BE ON INCREASE

Gold production on the American continent has been stimulated by the fell in prices for other commodites, according R. H. Grant, director of the mint, which buys practically all the new gold produced both in the United States and Canada, has made up preliminary figures indicating that the 1930 gold output of the United States exceeded the 1929 figure by $500,000, reaching a total of $46,151,000. He considers that the tendency to increase is being carried forward so far in 1931.

"The stimulus to gold mining operations is an expected matter in periods like this," Director Grant commented. "As selling prices of lead, zinc, copper and other metals drop, mining wage hcales decrease, and more labor is made available for the gold operations. Further, the costs of supplies and materials for gold operations is lessened, while the price of its production remains stable."

However, the increases in new gold supply noted in the last eighteen months do not yet compare with the increases which took place after 1892. At that time, the world gold output increased by 100 per cent during a period when wholesale prices of other commodities sunk to low levels. Discovery of new deposits in South Africa and Alaska contributed.

COMMUNICATION

It is unfortunate indeed that a misunderstanding has arisen in the community concering the law suit which the owner of the Bridgeport pleasure recently filed against the operators of the Omega mine. In your issue of last week Ifind a communication by one who signed "Miner" to his article. It is obvious that the writer of that article was not in possenion of the facts.

The owner of the pleasure resort doesnot ask in his law suit that the mine be closed or that any other mining activities cease. He has merely submitted to the court a sworn statement of facts and he is perfectly willing that a jury of twelve pick and shovel miners pass on his controversy with the mining corporation. The operators of the mine are foreign corporation and has its California office at Yuba City.

The law suit in question was filed by a citizen of Nevada County, and all that he asks is justice. The jury will consists of twelve citizens of Nevada County. The judge will be Judge Tuttle of the Nevada County Superior Court.

As counsel for Mr. Kneebone I am familiar with all the facts involved and I know that his contentions are just. If he wins his law suit the mining industry of this county will not suffer.

I respectfully request that anyone interested in knowing the facts read the legal complaint in case No. 5891 now on file in the office of the county cleark; or if he prefers he may call at my office and read a copy of the complaint here.

O. E. WINBURN.

FOREST SERVICE NOTES

The love of a forester for the trees that he lived with and protected was recently exemplified by a simple and impressive cremony in the Boise National Forest of Idaho, when brother forest officers scattered the ashes of the late forest supervisior E. C. Shepard to the winds of the great pine forest.

That the national forest of California are not and never have been closed to prospecting and legitimate mining development is proved by the fact that 76 per cent of all application for mineral patent, made during the years 1910 to 1930, inclusive, were favorably reported on by the U. S. Forest service, according to L. A. Barrett, asistant regional foroster of the San Francisco headquarters. In over 80 per cent of the contested cases the Department of the Interior sustained the Forest Service protest. During this same period the Forest Service instituted contested against 55 groups of mineral locations on national forest land, which were being used for purpose other than mining, and has been succesful in every case decided to date, Barret said.

Empty bean cans and a cunning "bean" won a battle waged between Jack Benson, a U. S. Forest Service lookout man and a raiding party of pack rats for possession of a strategic position on Odell Butte in the Deschutes National Forest in Oregon. Jack had lost heavily in several night attacks on his cabin and his ammunition and morals was runnig low. All ma-made tricks and traps had failed to catch the wily pack rats and he was badly in need of sleep. Then he had his big moment. He took a bean can and cut the top crosswise, dividing it into quarters. These sharp pointed quarters he pushed in, leaving an opening just large enough for the head of a rat. After fixing one can he baited it and went to bed, and was awakened shortly by the sound of a tin can being thumped on the rocks near his cabin. One of the enemy bit the dust. He prepared six more cans and the next morning there were six more rats running around with bean can masks. "There is on substitute for beas and brains," said Benson as he reported the results of the battle to his forest supervisor.

CALIF. HIGHWAY PATROL RERESENTED IN ITALY

The California Highway Patrol will be represented at th International Exhibitiion for Safety of Highway Traffic at Milian Italy, April 12th to 27th of this year.

E. Raymond Cato, Superintendent of the patrol, announced today that the patrol had the invetation of the Royal Automobile Club of Italy to participate and would seud an inexpensive exhibit.

The exhibit will consists largely of manuals of the patrol, statistical pamphlets and photographs deptict-ing the work of the officers in uniform.

G. Chigonetti, who received an injury to one of his digits at the Twin Sisters mine, is in town receiving treatments from Dr. Werner.

OLD DUNCAN GOLD MINE TO BE DEVELOPED SOON

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 12.—The Gold Ledge Mining Company,, Ltd., has acquired two mining properties near Hornitos, Mariposa County, one of the famous old mining centers of the California Mother Lode, it was announced at the local office of the company today. The concern has taken on purchase contract ,the well kown Duncan gold mine which has a known production record of more tha $600,000 to a depth of only 160 feet. While the main shaft is 190 feet deep, no stoping has ever been done below the 160 level.

Development of this property started between 1850 and 1860 and production from the West or main orebody was continuous for many years. Leasers, subsequently, worked a minor orebody to the east of the shaft and took out $34,000 from high grade, the low grade ore being left on the dump where it now lies.

It is the plan of the new owners to develop the west orebody at depth and arrange for the installation of a reduction plant for treating the mill grade as well as the high grade ores. Former operators were interested only in the rich rock. The only leasing work done on the west orebody was at a point where a rich shoot yielded $11,000 from 650 pounds of ore, records show. The west vein averages 4 1-2 feet in width.

The Gold Ledge Company also has acquired full title to the Parallel mine, in the same district. Little work has been done on this property but engineers report that surface indications are very good.

The Gold Ledge Company, backed by San Francisco capital, has a capitalization of $1,000,000 non-assessable shares, par 25 cents, and it is expected that the stock will be listed on both local and Eastern exchanges. Negotiations also are under way for the purchase of other gold properties in addition to the company's projects in Mariposa County.

The Downieville Mesenger is being edited this week by the ladies of the Improvement Club of that city. We await with interest the literary endeavors of the ladies, altho they would have to go some to get out a newsier paper than Editor Ayres gives to his readers each week.

CARNEGIE MEDAL RECOMMENDED FOR

SACRAMENTD, Feb. 11—Because of heroic conduct displayed in rescuing two persons from drowning in the waters of Donner Lake, Tony Beard,, Sacramento Junior College student, employed last Summer by the state as a border checker, has been recomended for a Carnegie award from the Carnegie Hero Fund Commision by the California Highway Patrol.

The application of the patrol on behalf of the 21-year old student has been signed by, Governor Rolph other prominent persons and is now being considered by the commision.

Young Beard risked his life on two occasions last Summer to pull drowning persons from the lake. On the first occasion he rescued Mrs. Leida Brown from drowning and revived her after several hours of resuscitation. Evidence was not presented to the commision in this case however, as witnesses could not be found.

The second incident occured on August 8th when John Van Ek, insurance agent, and another man named Warner began struggling in the lake while swimming and sank to the bottiom. Beard sprang into the water with his clothes on, broke the women apart and was dragging the two men apart and was dragging Van Ek out when a Negro boy had arrived in a boat to assist in the rescue sprang into the water and lost control of himself. Beard was compelled to drag both the negro and Van Ek to the bank.

The Negro revied but several hours of resussitation failed to revive Van Ek and he perished as did Warner.

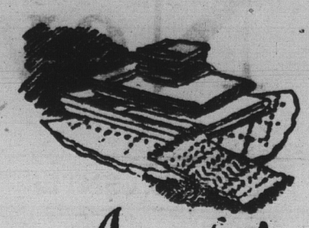
After applying artifical resperation for an hour Beard collasped and was unconscious for four hours.

PERSONALS

Frank L. Sizer, well known mining engineer of San Francisco, has been at the Hoge Developmet Company's property for several days making an examination for San Francisco parties.

Mrs. Frank Davies accompanied by Miss Georgia English of Noth Columbia went to Oakland on Sunday where they plan to spend a week.

Martin Vanberg and E. C. Uren were inspecting the Buttes Saddle Mine at Sierra City this week.



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Graniteville Stage leaves Nevada City at 7 a. m., for Lake City, North Bloomfield, Moores Flat, and Graniteville. Leaves Graniteville at 7 a. m., for Nevada City.

Alleghany Stage leaves Nevada City daily, except Sunday at 1:00 p. m., for Tyler, Columbia Hill, Alleghany and Forest. Leaves Forest at 6:30 a. m., for Nevada City.

Marysville Auto Stage leaves at 8.00 a. m., for Rough and Ready, Smartsville, Hammonton and Marysville. Leaves Marysville at 1:00 p. m. Connects at Smartsville for North San Juan.

Downieville Auto Stage leaves Nevada City daily at 1 p. m., ar-Leaves Downieville daily at 6 a. m., arriving in Nevada City in time to connect with 10:30 train for San Francisco.

Washington Stage leaves Nevada City at 6:30 a. m., for Washington Leaves Washington at 6:30 a. m. for Nevada City

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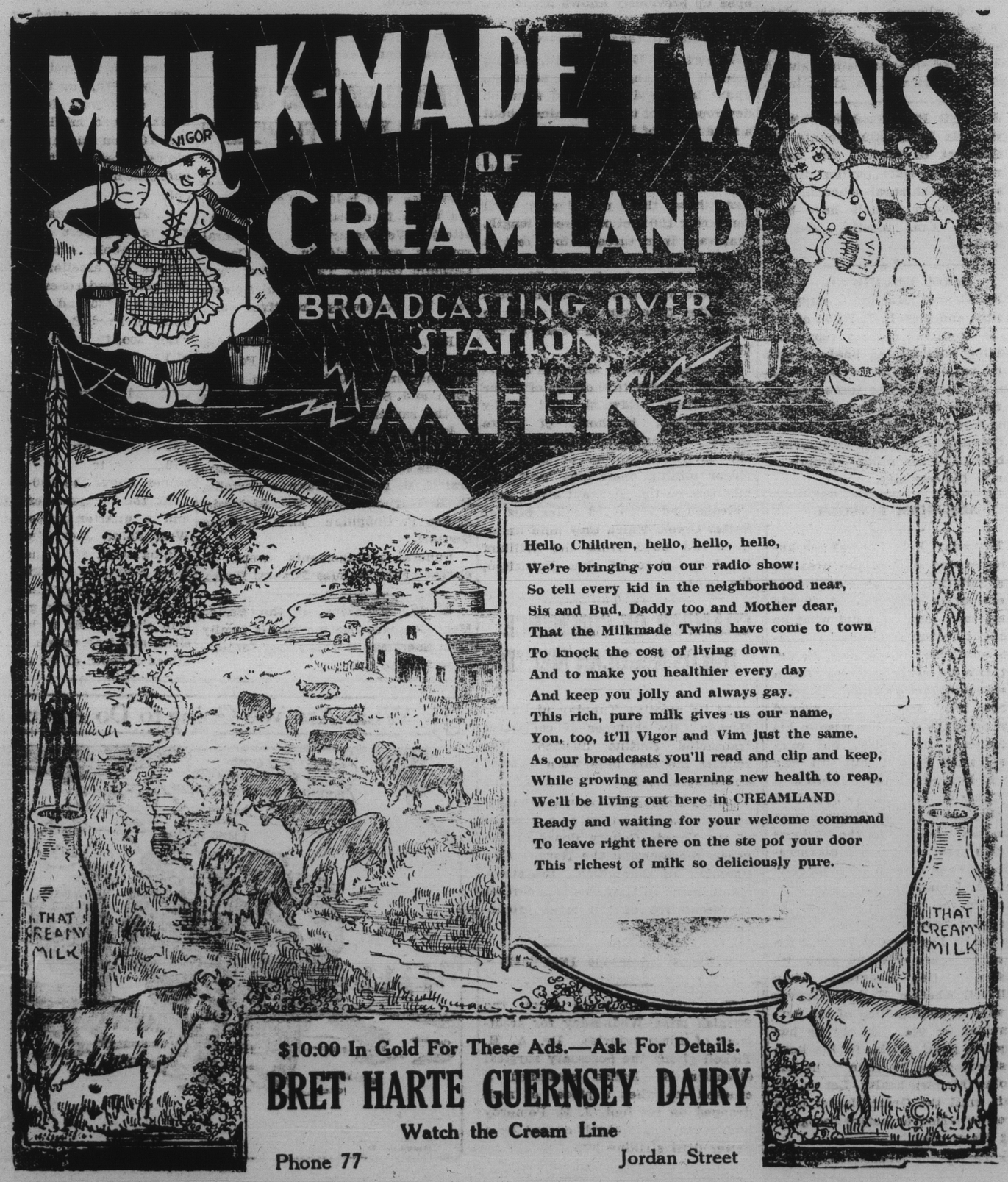
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ORDERS SURVEY ON ALL AUTOMOTIVE EQUIPMENT

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 11—Alarmed by the mounting toll of the death and injury to members of the California Highway Patrol while on duty, Superintendent E. Raymond Cato ordered a survey of all autopurpose of smotive equipment in the patrol for purpose of safety.

Rigid inspectors of all motorcycles and automobils will be made, Cato said, and unsafe epuipment will be replaced with new.

Captains of country squads were given instructions to carry on frequent inspections vital parts of automotive equipment. No officer will be permitted to go out on patrol with a questionable motorcycle or automobile.

To minimize accidents in wet or slippery weather or at night, officers will be instructed to use only automobiles under such conditions.

A check of records in Cato's department revealed that five men have been killed and ninety have received major injures in a period of two years. All these deaths and injuries occured while the men were on duty. The traffic officer's occupation is so hozardous that they find it difficult to get insurance without paying high premiums.

"Our men are compelled constantly to travel at high rates of speed and under dangerious conditions to apprehend violators," Cato said. "The casualty list is neccessarily high and we are going to do everything possible toprotect them."

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CAMPTONVILLE ITEMS

CAMPTONVILLE, Feb. 12—(Special)—Mrs. J. L. Gangloff of Pike City was in town Wednesday on a short business visit.

Fred H. Butz motored to Sacramento Thursday on a short business visit.

Judge William B. Meek and Julius E. Pauley motored to Nevada City Thursday on a brief visit.

William C. Perry, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Jefford ,and Mr. and Mrs. Lang of Nevada City and Grass Valley were in town Thursday en route to their home after attending the funeral of the late Mrs. M. Massa at Downieville.

William H. Cartwright of Grass Valley was in town Thursday en route to the upper country.

Chas. C. Skewes of Grass Valley was in town Thursday on a short business visit.

Erle and Myron Pauly arrived from Marysville to spend the week-end with their parents.

W. J. Coleman of Sacramento was in town Saturday on a brief business visit.

Louie E. Bullington and Robt. Walker motored to Grass Valley Friday on a short business visit.

Georg W. Lischer, Superintendent of Weeds Point mine, motored to Nevada City Saturday on business.

Fred J. Joubert motored to Sierra City Saturday evening to attend a lodge meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Acton M. Cleveland, Erle Pauly, Ray Knickram, Miss Lola M. Labadie, Lawrence Turner motored to Downieville Saturday evening to attend the scool entertainment.

Rev. H. H. Bucker ad wife of Nevada City passed through town Monday en route to Sierra City.

Fred J. Joubert accompanied by Mrs. Acton M. Cleveland and Miss Lola M. Labadie motored to Nevada City Monday.

(Too Late for Last Week)

John Kerfort, of Downieville was in town on a short visit Tuesday evening

Constable A. H. Behrens left Wednesday for San Francisco on a two weeks visit.

Norval C. Fraser who has spent the past two months visiting with his mother hehe and recovering from a sick spell, left Wednesday for San Francisco to resume his position with Sshwabacher Frey Company.

Justice of the peace William B. Meek and Julius E. Pauley motored to Sacramento Wednesday on a short visit.

Mrs. Fred B. Hansen and son Chester U. Hansen motored to Sacramento Wednesday on a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Mandas R. Carlson returned Tuesday from Red Bluff where they spent a Coupel of days visiting velatives.

Henry Weiman of Marysville arrived Wednesday on a few days visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. E. Langf and family returned Tuesday from Suisium where they spent a couple of days visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. McNaught and Miliot Riddel and Mrs. M. G. Calvin accompanied by her grandaughter Dorthy Hays motored to Nevada City Friday ona short visit.

Lawrence Turner and his father C. W. Turner motored to Marysville Friday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lavezzola and daughter Catherine accompanied by Evan W. Thomas passed through Friday enroute to North-San Jaun.

Carl P. Sutton of Downieville was called here Monday morning to attend Mrs. Massa at Oak Valley.

Julius E. Pauley returned Monday after spending the weekend at Marysville with his sons.

Jacob and Peter Keiffer of Downieville passed through town Monday enroute to their home after visiting their brother who is ill in Colfax.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Heether and Bud Jones motored to Nevada City Monday on business.

James Lang arrived Sunday from Sacramento on a short visit with brothers.

Mrs. Edward Z. Brown accompanied by her niece, Mrs. Anita Lawson left Tuesday for their home at San Francisco and Los Angles, after a short visit with relatives here.

Fred H. Butz motored to Sacramento Monday on a brief visit, returning the same day.

The many friends of William O. Grant are pleased to learn that he has been able to leave the Sutter Hospital and is nicely recovering from his recent serious operation.

Sheriff Chas. Winstead accomanied by his wife and young son, of Downieville, passed trrough town Tuesday enroute to Pike City on official business.

Alferd J. Heether, of the Grant and Heether Lumber Company had the misfortune Monday, while working in the lumber yard, to fall several feet from a lumber platform, fracturing his nose and bruising his face. He was taken to Nevada City where he received medical attention and is recovering from his injures.

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NORTH SAN JUAN ITEMS

Dan Bruening of the state highway passed through town en route to Downieville.

A meeting of the S. J. R. W. A. was held this week to make preparations for a dance to be given to raise funds.

Mr. and Mrs. Bloucher of Sebastopool have moved to the Peckwith place to make their future home.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lavezzola and daughter Katherine Marie, accompanied by Evan Thomas of Downieville, were week-end visitors to Mrs. Lavezzola's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Huckins. Mrs. Loreta Dart came down with them and continued on to Sacramento.

Norman Costa of Downieville passed through town Friday en route to Sacramento.

J. E. McDonald of Downieville passed through town Friday en route to Nevada City and Grass Valley.

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EXPEDITION'S LEADER CALLS UP FROM CHILI

Dr. John Oliver LaGorce, Vice-President of the National Geographic Society, was summoned to his desk in Washington, D. C., not long ago, to answer a telephone call. To his surprise, he found that the call came from Frederick Simpich, leader of the Society's aerial survey of the islands of the Caribean and eastern South America, who was telephoning from Santiago, Chile.

The aerial photographer desired instructions regarding an offer which had been made by the Chilean government to place at the disposal of the members of the Society's expedition, then still in South America, a Chilean army airplane and pilots for a photographic survey of all parts of that Republic. This was considered an especially noteworthy tender of co-operation, in view of the fact that under army regulations in Chile, no air passengers are permitted to carry cameras while in flight over that country except under strict military surveillance.

MINING ACTIVITIES ON PACIFIC COAST

Considerable good cinnabar ore has been opened in the Bitterwater Creek mine, according to H. V. Underwood of Hollister, Calif., and a larger retort will be installed soon. The drift is in 55 feet and a shaft, now down 15 feet, is being sunk below that level. The property is five claims and a millsite, located within two miles of a natural gas pipe line, and has an abundance of water.

The drift from the bottom of the 851foot vertical shaft in the Blue Lead gravels at Bangor, Calif., has opened the Blue Lead tertiary channel and is within 20 feet of the Grey channel. The former prospected about $4.50 a cubic yard, and temporary equipment has been installed to test both channels. Pending satisfactory results, electric power and a plant, consisting of an automatic hoist, Krogh mill, Huelsdonk concentrator, etc., will be installed capable of handling as much as 250 cubic yards of gravel in 24 hours. The electricity may be provided either by Diesel engines or by hookup with the lines of the Pacific Gas and Electric Company.

Negotiations are in progress to finance the purchase and installation of a complete line of new machinery at the Gross-Street Mining Company, Ltd., property on the Mother Lode, between Melones and Rawhide, Cal. No ore has yet been produced commercially by the company, but it is estimated that 43,820 tons, having a gross value of $388,600 ore developed.

Donald Woodrum and associates have been granted permission to market stock in the California Mines Corporation, Ltd., and development will be started as soon as funds are available. Its property is a consolidation of the Arbogast, Rodgers, Layton, Price, Walrath, Reward, Summit, Dodo, Orleans and Mountaineer claims, in all more than 36 claims.

The San Francisco Mining Exchange has listed the shares of the Mirable Mining Company, embracing 1400 acres in Lake County, fully equipped with operating machinery and a 48-ton Scott furnace. The ground is said to have a production record of about 36,000 flasks of quirksilver.

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CHEROKEE ITEMS

Rev. Father Scott celebrated mass in Cherokee Sunday.

We have lots of cloudy weather but very little rain. It makes it hard on some of our miners that are depending on the rains for water to work their claims.

The many friends of Frank Frost are very sorry to hear he is ill and hope he will soon be well again. Dr. Jones of Grass Valley has made several trips to attend Mr. Frost.

Quite a few residents here have the flu.

Mrs. L. Garbaldi has recovered from an attact of the flue.

Mr. and Mrs. John Roth of Sacramento were visiting friends here Friday.

The many friends of Mrs. W. H. Hustler are glad to hear she is doing so well.

Mr. Weaver of Berkeley is here looking after his ranch. Mr. Weaver will remain here for two weeks.

Al Tacket is visiting Mr. H. Meyer.

Mr. W. Whisler has closed his service station until the first of May.

Mr. L. Day and Joe Swazey of Nevada City were visitors here Friday.

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RIGID ENFORCEMENT OF OPERATOR'S LICENSE

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 12 — More rigid enforcement of the operator's license law to curb reckless youths operating motor vehicles has been recommended to the courts and the various police departments of the state and the California Highway Patrol by the bureau of research, statistics and traffic safety of the Patrol.

This follows a study of accident statistics made by the bureau indicating that youths between the ages of 14 and 19 are involved in twice as many accidents as would be the same number of older drivers.

A study of the records for the first six months of 1930 shows boys of this age group were responsible for more than 1600 accidents involving death or injury to themselves and others.

The bureau believes that if the reckless youth persists in endasgering his life and the lives of others there is only one thing to do and that is to cancel his license.

Reports of accidents among this group of drivers show a greater variety of surprising causes than in many of the groups of older drivers.

"The immature youth is inclined to be indiscreet and often does the most irrational and unusual things in his driving," the bureau's report said.

"The courts can aid materially in effecting a correction by promptly revoking or suspending the youthful driver's license is flagrant cases. After the license has been revoked the courts should demand substantial proof from each driver whose license has been revoked that he has not driven a motor vehicle during the period in which hih license was suspended.

Unless a youth can drive as prudently and as carefully, as an adult, he should not be permitted to drive."

It was stated in the report that numerous complaints have been received of reckless driving on the part of youths operating delivery trucks. Investigation of these complaints indicated in a great many instances that the fault was not so much that of the boy as his employer. If was found, in many such cases, that the driver of such trucks are required to cover entirely too much territory for safety.

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Arrive Sacramento	11:00 A. M., 2:40 P. M., 6:30 P. M.
Arrive San Francisco	5:55 P. M., 11:15 P. M.
EAST BOUND	
Leave San Francisco	7:40 A. M., 11:20 A. M.
Leave Sacramento	8:00 A. M., 12:15 P. M., 3:00 P. M.
Arrive Nevada City	11:00 A. M., 3:15 P. M. 6:00 P. M.
Arrive Gras Valley	10:45 A. M., 3:00 P. M., 5:45 P. M.

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NEW GEOLOGIC MAP OF CALIFORNIA

Mr. George W. Stose, Geologic Map Editor, U. S. Geologicial Survey, is on his way West in order to confer with the Geologicial Branch of the California State Division of Mines regards the new geologic map of the State which the two surveys (State andFederal) are preparing through a cooperative arrangement.

Mr. Stose expects to arrive in San Francisci about February 8, anr will at that time confer with Mr. Walter with the Geologic Branch of the Cali-Map Editor, U. S. Geologicial Survey W. Bradley, State Mineralogist and Mr. Olaf P. Jenkins, Chief Geologist, who is in charge of the preperation of the map.

Mr. Stose wishes also to confer with many other geologists in California and expects to stop on his way, first in Los Angles and Pasadena for this purpose before arriving in San-Francisco . There is much interests among members of the proffesion at this time as regards the preparation of this valuable piece of work and much cooperation is being secured from all institutions, academies, professionas societies, and geological departments of mining, oil, and railroad companies.

ccording to the arrangement made the Federal Survey has been compiling all information that was available to it in Washington, D. C. There is, however, ac much more information, unpublished and in various files here in California, as in the office of the U. S. Geological Survey. It became the duty, therefore, of the State Oivision of Mines to complete this map as far as possible with data it has secured, and to continue to fill in the gaps as fast as the required data are obtained through field work.

The general state geologic map is being drawn on the scale of eight miles to the inch and will show clearly and accurately all of the principal geologic formations exposed on the surface. A map of this sort will be of widespread importance and value to all mineral resources, mines, oil and gas, water supply, agricultural and forest industries, transportation lines, etc. At a glance the reader, traveler, or engineer may see on just what rock formation he is located and what its relation is to the rest of the state. The main gelogical structures, faults, etc., will all be shown. The map as a whole will be of constant service and education to the world at large. Investors, visitors and travelers will use it as a constantsource of information.

The State is very fortunate in securing the service of men well trained and experinced in making such state maps. Mr. Stose has been in charge of editing and engraving these state maps and all geologic maps for the U. S. Geological Survey for many years. Mr. Jenkins, a few years ago, prepaired such a map of theentire state of Tennessee, doing much of the work himself, and later was employed in the preperation of the Arizona state geologic map, which was published jointly by Arizona and the U. S. Geological Survey.

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FRENCH CORRAL NEWS

FRENCH CORRAL, Feb. 12.—Special—Smiles and tears, — sun shine and shadows. This has been the order of things since "Ground Hog Day," in our section. Spring blossoms are fast appearing. The "China lilly" has been with us since early in November, but just now is at its best. The Chinese should have good luck this year if the free blossoming of this cherished flower before the New Year is a sign.

Mrs. W. E. Moulton received a glad surprise last Tuesday morning, when her sister, Mrs. Herbert Clymo of Benicia with her son Harold and wife of Vallejo suddenly burst in upon her and remained for a visit of three days.. As Mrs. Clymo and her son are natives of French Corral it was to them like coming home.

Mrs. J. W. Culver and Mrs. E. Schwartz went to Auburn one evening last week to attend a meeting of O. E. S.

Mrs. K. Sullivan, Miss Nelly Sullivan, and Lloyd Haskett were visitors in Nevada City Wednesday.

Messrs. Holden and Smith of Nicholans, who are interested in work with Mr. Nichols, have taken up their residence in French Corral.

Harry Browning, who has been ill, was taken to Nevada City Friday for medical treatment. He was accompanied by his mother and Mr. A. Thornton, with whom they made the trip.

Mrs. E. Sutherland acrompanied Mrs. F. Sdhwartz to her home in Pleasant Valley Friday to visit over the week-end.

Miss Millie Clerkin, who has been visiting friends came to French oCrral Friday. Ever doing kindness she is now staying with the Browning family while their mother is absent.

Mrs. L. Dudley was a Saturday visitor at her home in French Corral.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Orr and Mr. Orr's brother of Hood, visited over the week-end with relativeh in French Corral.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Franciscovich with her son, Clyde Bisho and nephew, W. Jarvih, visited relatives in French Corral Sunday.

Ernest Collins and E. Clymo of Sweetland were Sunday visitors.

Miss Nillie Clerkin and Irene Browninw visited in San Juan Sunday.

A. Browning of Nevada City visited his family at this place Sunday.

W. P. Clerkin returned from the lower country Monday for a short stay.

We are pleased to learn that Mrs. Wm. Hustler, who underwent a serious operation last Wednesday, at the Nevada City Sanitarium is doing well and her relatives look forward to her speedy recovery.

The many friends of Miss Elizabeth Wood who had beena lifetime resident of North San Juan, were shocked to hear of her death. Miss Wood had but within the past two weeks sold her property in San Juan and moved to Nevada City where she intended to live with hersister Mrs. Lady. She passed away after a serious operation and was laid to rest in the family plot at North San Juam. Her funeral was largely attended and the floral offerings profuse and beautiful. We extend deepest sympathy to her relatives.

(Too Late for Last Week's Issue)

All kinds of work is going on in this section with the homefolks. Plowing, prunning, building and some mining. Every one is busy.

French Corral came near being minus another home, when last Wednesday morning the house, owned by Sylvan Anderson, caught fire from a spark falling on the roof. Fortunately it was discovered in time to avert much damage.

Mr. Nichols of Nicholand, who is carrying on some mining operations here has rented the old home of the Fogarty place in Birchville and with his pardner, Mr. G. Stephens, has mooved to that place.

We are glad to learn that a family, with four children of school age, has mooved into Sweetland and are living in the old Finsterwahl place. Mrs.. Bottwell (nee Emma Finsterwahl) the owner, made a trip to overlook the property and will put in a new water system at her place. The name of the newcomer is Dori.

With the Boss Mine operating with good prospects we hope there is a heyday of prosperity in store for our good old sister town of Sweetland. As it was an early day place and a town of large families, we will venture to say that natives can be found not only all over the state of California,, but all over the world.

Mr. and Mrs. R.. McNamara of Tyler visited relatives here this past week.

Mr. and Mrs. May returned from Sacramento last Thursday. ,'Glad to get back to this fine country," they say.

Mrs. Vivian gave a whist party for her neighbors last Friday evening. Miss N. Sullivan and Mr. A. Kneebone carried off first honors while Mr. Thouston and Mrs. Moulton won the consolation. After the game, dainty refreshments were served and a happy time was enjoyed by all.

We are sorry to hear of the illness of Mrs. Wm. Hustler of Columbia Hill, who was taken to the Nevada City Sanitarium last week where she is now awaiting a serious operation. Both Mr. and Mrs. Hustler are pioneer residents of that place. Their many friends hope to hear of Mrs. Hustler's speedy recovery.

Misses Catherine and Theresa O'Connor and brother Michael OConnor went to Nevada City Saturday to visit their cousin, Mrs. Wm. Hustler, who is at the Sanitarium there.

W. E. Moulton made a trip to Sacramento Saturday. He was accompanied as far as Auburn by Mrs. J. W. Culver, who spent the day with her son, Edward Wilcox, who is in charge of the Wiss power station. Dr. McMinn accompanied Mr. Moulton to Sacramento.

Miss Frances Moulton and her friend, Miss Ivyl Hinsaw, returned to French Corral with her father to spent the week-end with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Dudley of Nevada City were Sunday visitors at the home of Mrs. Dudley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Moulton.

Miss F. Moulton and Miss I. Hinshaw accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Dudley on their return trip to Nevada City.

On account of absence of officers no meeting of the S. J. R. W. A .was held on Sunday, Feb. 1.

Deen MrKinn spent the week-end in Nevada City visiting with friends.

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93-9 Gold placer property or small quartz mine.

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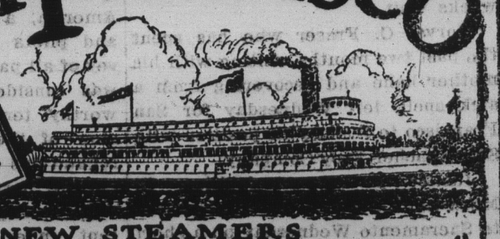

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SPORTING NEWS

PLACERVILLE FIVES TO PLAY FRIDAY NIGHT

Friday night the Hi School will resume their league schedule when they take on the fast Placerville fives. These games will determine whether the local school has a chance to win first honors in the league they now are entered.

The C team has not lost a game this year in their league and by winning Friday night can cinch the championship in their class. The lightweights have shown good fast basketball in all their contests this year. The players on the team should win their game easily if they work together as they have so far this season.

Although the B team started out slowly they are rounding into shape fast. It was known they had the class to win but for some reason the players seemed not to be cooperating with each other. They went into the Grass Valley games the underdogs but came out of the game winners by a large margin. If they play as they did against Grass Valley they should emerge winners.

The A team should win their game easily as Placerville's A team has not won a game this year. So far this year Davis has been the outstanding player for this squad. Being a southpaw he has been hard to guart as the opponents have found out on several occasions. Shaffis" wonderful flower work has kept the opponents down to a low scring point. Although guarded more than any other player on the team Hogan has been the outstanding scorer and threat of the team.

The price of admission will be 50 cents. The price is set by C. I. F. officials and not by the local school. F. Zannon will referee these contests.

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NEVADA CITY BLUES INCREASE THEIR LEAD

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Blues	20	7	.741
Colombo	13	14	.481
Native Sons	11	16	.407
Court Garfield	10	17	.370

In the last weeks g'ames in the local indoor horseshoe pitching tournament sponsored by the three lodges lodges of Nevada City who have entered teams therein, the Blues increased their lead to seven games which practically assures them of being the winners of this year's tournament. The honors of conducting the banquet are as yet undecided between the Native Sons and Court Garfield who are practically tied for last place. In past years it has been the practice for the lodges to hold a last meeting of the year in the shape of a banquet meeting and the team finishing in last place has always worn the honors of kitchen police for the others, and it is probable that the same custom will prevail this year should the annual banquet be held.

Tuesday's games resulted as follows::

Shorten and Day, Court Garfield, defeated C. W. Chapman and Eddy, Native Sons, 50 to 30; Coughlin and Baker, Native Sons, defeated Davis and Sandow, Court Garfield, 50 to 21; M. Chapman and Sam Polglase, Native Sons, won by default.

High scores: Day 41, Coughlin 33.

Ringers: Day 11, Coughlin 8.

Wednesday's scores:

Gleason and Hoskins, Blues, defeated P. Giani and V. Giani, Colombo, 52 to 28; J. Zugnoni and L. Cicogni, Colombo, defeated G. Wasley, White and L. Wasley, Blues, 51 to 40; Toccalini and D. Macari, Blues, defeated B. Zugnoni and Fradelizio, Colombo, 50 to 42.

High scores: Henry Toccalini 31, J. Zugnoni, 29; Gleason, 29.

Ringers: Toccalini 8, Gleason 7, Joe Zugnini 6.

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WILL LEAVE FOR SACRAMENTO

Ray McDowell, a miner at the Spanish mine, who received an injury to his back several weeks ago and was under treatment by Dr. R. E. Werner at the Nevada City Sanitarium for some time will go to Sacramento in a few days to undergo an operation by Dr. Haig. The operation is necessary to effect a complete recovery.

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WILL IS FILED FR PROBATE

The will of the late Mrs. Nancy Mott was filed for probate in the superior court Monday. Judge Geo. L. Jones as attorney for George . Mott, Jr., named in the document as executor.

The petition recites the value of the estate to be more than $10,000. The principal bequests are made to the three daughters and son of Mrs. Mott, although there are small bequests to others.

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N. T. Mirov, who formerly had charge of the Pine Products plant in this city, arrived last night from Newark, Calif., on a short visit.

Mrs. Thomas Oliver, who has been at the Nevada City Sanitarium for several days, has returned to her home.

GOLD NUGGETS FOUND IN TURKEY CRAW

WENATCHEE, Wash., Feb. 12.—Turkey-gold "prospectors" were in ina huddel at Riverside, near here today, trying to solve a new gold strie proglem.

Since the announcement in Seattle of the finding of three small gold nuggets in the craw of a Christmas turkey, efforts have been made to locate the farm on which the bird was raised. The packing company whicn bought all the Christmas turkeys in the Riverside district shipped them in one railroad to trace orgin of the bird through that source.

The "prospectors" purposed the slaying of all turkeys in that vicinity in a last final effort to locate the ranch on which gold is belived present, but so far had failed to gain approval of the growers.

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FORESTERS' NEW OFFICERS

Al C. Shorten will preside over the meetings of Court Garfield Foresters of America during the coming half year. He will be assisted by installed with him at a recent meeting: U. M., Lotz, J. P. C.; Charles Sharp, S. C. R.; George Day. F. S.; A. J. Rore, R. S.; M. D. Coughlin, T.; S. White, S. W; D. Davis, J. W.; W. Walsh, S. R.; Carl Foote, J. B.; R. Leonard, trustee; George Sandow, lecturer.

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FOR SALE OR TRADE—A 13-acre irrigated ranch, consisting of a family orchard, almonds, grapes, remainder of place sowed to grain, 5-room house, bath and porch. DELL B. JONES, Rt. 2 B59, Oakdale, Calif.

WANTED—House work by hour or by day. Box E, care Nevada City Nugget.

FOR SALE—400 acres placer land adjoining the You Bet, Red Dog and Brown's Hills in the You Bet Mining District. George Cleary, Leonard Schroeder Ranch, R. I, Nevada. j16-2m

"FOR SALE—An unworked placer mine ten miles from Nevada City and 22 feet from county road. For particulars see File "D1", Record of Mines, Nugget Office".

FOR SALE—Camp trailer, deep box, good tires fabric cover. $30.00. Also, Grant Six Sedan, would make fine truck. Make offer. Frank C. Coates. 4-3-tf.

SPECIAL—A first class upright piano, $65.00. 1 Victrola, $25.00, like new. Bargains in all used and new furniture and floor coverings. H. BELOUD, 113 West Main St. Grass Valley.

RELIABLE MAN WANTED—to call on farmers in Nevada County. Wonderful opportunity. Make $8 to $20 daily. No experience or capital needed. Write today. FURST AND THOMAS, Department F. 426 Third St. Oakland, Calif.

FOR SALE—One 40 h. p. boiler; also engine; compressor and receiver. Easy to load and good roads; if interested address Geo. W. Lischer, Camptonville, Calif.

PIANO BARGAIN

I have a very fine new Piano that I purchased about three months ago, and have paid a substantial amount in on it. I am forced on account of sickness to give up my home and will give my equity to anyone wishing to assume the balance due, so as to relieve me of my obligations. The cost of carrying this account is so small that it would be as little as rent. If you are interested in a wonderful opportunity and bargain, drop me a line at once L. P. EDWARDS, P. O., Box 288, Sacramento, California. f6-2t

N. C. N. G. R. R. COMPANY TIME TABLE

Effective Sunday, Dec. 28, 1930.

Trains leave Nevada City at 4:45 a. m., Grass Valley 5:05 a. m., arriving at San Francisco 1:30 p. m.

Trains leave Nevada City at 8:50 a. m., Grass Valley 9:15 a. m., making direct connection with S. P. train No. 19 arriving at San Francisco 3:30 p. m.

Train leaves Nevada City at 4:10 p. m., Grass Valley at 4.35 p. m, daily except Sunday, making connection with S. P. train No. 20, leaving San Francisco at 12:40 p. m., enabling passangers to arrive at Grass Valley 6:55 p. m. and Nevada City 7:16 p. m., daily except Sunday.

Train No. 24 leaving San Francisco at 8::00 a. m. arrives at Grass Valley at 2:10 p. m. and Nevada City 2:30 p. m.

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LEGAL NOTICE

SUMMONS

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Nevada.

LONZO W. WINNEY, Plaintiff, vs. BONITA B. WINNEY, Defendant.

Action brought in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Nevada ,and the Complaint filed in the office of Clerk of said County of Nevada.

Harry M. McKee, Attorney for Plaintiff.

The People of the State of California Send Greetings to BONITA B. Winney, Defendant.

You Are Hereby Directed to Appear, and answer the complaint in an action entitled as above, brought against you in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Nevada within ten days after the service on you of this Summons—if served within this county; or within thirty days if served elsewhere.

And you are hereby notified that unless you appear and answer as above required, the said Plaintiff will take judgment for any money or damages demanded in the Complaint, as arising upon contract, or he will apply to the Court for any relief demanded in the Complaint.

Given under my hand and seal of the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Nevada, this 20th day of January A. D. 1931.

R. N. McCORMACK, Clerk.

By R. E. Deeble, Deputy Clerk. (SEAL)

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION
Department of the Interior
United States Land Office
Sacramento, California,
December 11, 1930.
Serial No. 025996

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Central Pacific Railway Company, successor to the Central Pacific Railroad Company of California, has filed in this office, pursuant to Acts of Congress approved July 1, 1862 and July 2, 1864, Main Line Primary Grant List No. 108, Serial No. 025996, applying for patent from the United States for the following described land, to-wit,—

Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, S½ NW¼, N½ SW¼, SW¼ SW¼, N½ SE¼, SE ¼ SE¼, Sec. 5, Tp. 18 N., R. 12 E., M. D. M. (481.24 acres).

All parts of Lots 15 and 16, not embraced in the Lolita Mining claim in Sec. 1, Tp. 13 N., R. 9 E. M. D. M. (approximately 80 acres).

Any and all persons claiming adversely the lands described ,or desiring to object, because of the mineral character of the land, or for any other reason, to the disposal to the applicant, should file their corroborated affidavits of protest, in duplicate, in this office within thirty days after the first publication of this notice, although sufficient protests filed prior to approval for patent will be considered.

JOHN C. ING, Register

Date of first publication, January 16, 1931.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Matter of the Estate of KITTY F. ENGLEBRIGHT, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the undersigned Harry L. Englebright as Administrator of the Estate of Kitty F. Englebright, deceased, to the Creditors of and all persons having claims against the said decedent to file them with the necessary vouchers within six (6) months after the first publication of this notice in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Nevada, or to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers within six (6) months after the first publication of this notice to the said Administrator at the office of W. E. Wright, Nevada City, California, the same being his place of business in all matters connected with the estate of said Kitty F. Englebright, Deceased.

Dated January 9th, 1931.

HARRY L. ENGLEBRIGHT, Administrator of the Estate of Kitty F. Englebright, Deceased.

First publication January 9, 1931.

SUMMONS

In the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Nevada.

BETHENE KRAUSE, Plaintiff, vs. THEODORE KRAUSE, Defendant.

Action bronght in the Supseior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Nevada, and the Complaint filed in the office of Clerk of said County of Nevada, and W. E. Wright Attorney for Plaintiff.

The People of the State of California Send Greetings to Theodore Krause, Defendant.

You are hereby directed to appear and answer the coplaint in an action entilted as above, brought against you in the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Nevada within ten days after the service on you of this Summons—if served within this county; or within thirty days if served elsewhere.

And you are hereby notified that unless you appear and answer as above required, the said Plaintiff will take judgment for any money or damages demanded in the Complaint, as arising upon contract, or she will apply to the court for any other relief demanded in the complaint.

Given under my hand and seal of the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Nevada, this 15th day of January A. D. 1931.

R. N. McCORMACK, Clerk.

By R. E. DEEBLE, Deputy Clerk. (SEAL).

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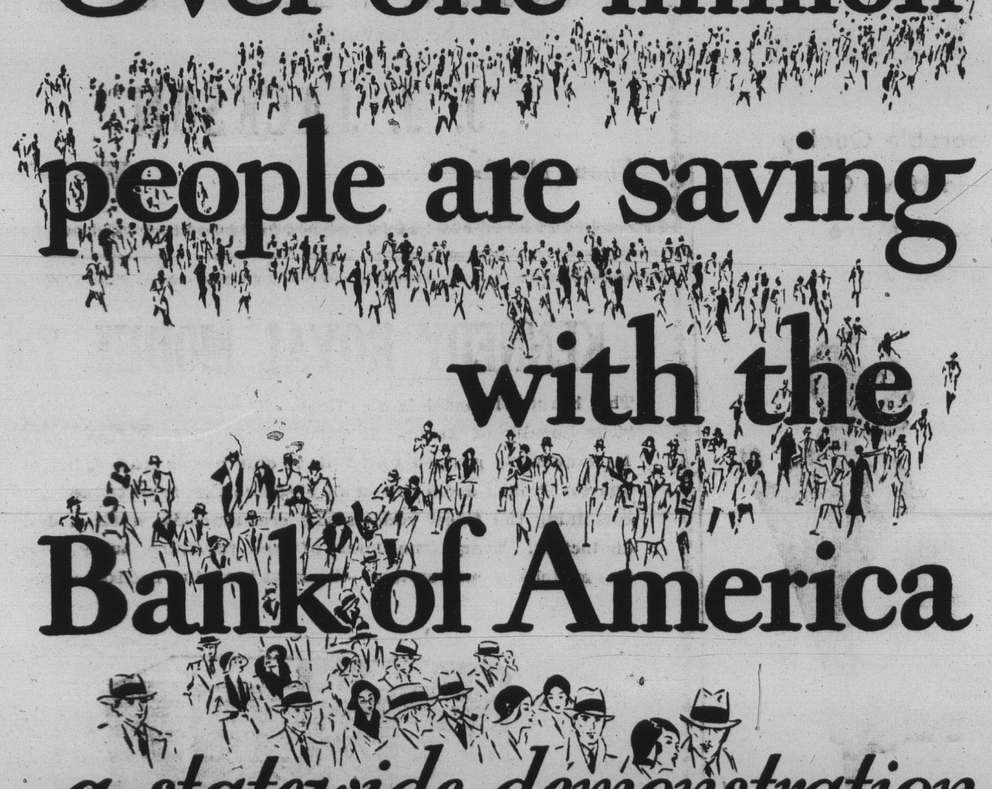

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Mr. U. S. N. Johnson of the Bret Harte Guernsey Dairy today announces that he is offering the prize of $10 in gold for a little watchfulness on the part of the public.

His Milk Made Twins, Vigor & Vim, trade characters of the Bret Harte Guernsey Dairy will appear at regular intervals in this paper to broadcast their timely and educational messages over station M-I-L-K. They will appear in entertaining cartoon form and their message will always be in educational poetry, very much worth while of young and old to carefully read and save.

No one is barred from competition for the prize money and anyone may win.

All Mr. U. S. N. Johnson asks is that you watch the paper for the regular broadcasts of his Milk Made Twins, cut out the ad after you have read it and save it until the end of the series.

Then when the series has closed and you have the ads all cut out, simply arrange them in some neat and attractive form. You may bind them together with thread or pins or clamps or you may arrange them in scrap-book form; there is no restriction upon how you do it. But do it in the neatest or most attractive way you can think of, send them in to the Dairy by mail or by one of the drivers or deliver them to the Dairy in person with your name and address plainly written on one side of the ads.

During the 10 days following the appearance of the closing ad the Bret Harte Guernsey Dairy will carefully judge the ads submitted, judging according to general neatness or originality, or novelty of the arranements awarding the $10 in gold for the best arragement submitted.

The public is requested to get the ads in to the Dairy as quickly as possible after the apperance of the closing one in the newspaper in order that proper consideration may be given each one.

TELLS WHY NEW GOLD SUPPLY MUST BE FOUND

In a recent article, bearing the caption "New Gold Fields Needed," in the. Los Angeles Times, Earl E Crowe, its finical editor, said:

"Discovery and exploitation of a new gold field would answer many of the questions arising out of worldwide economic depression. After the California, Australia, South Africa and other important discoveres, the influx of new gold into world's markets resulted in commodity price inflation of considerable benefit.

Of similar nature was the drift of gold to the Uuited States during and after the war. The possession of more than half the world's supply was the basis for the credit inflation, both in business and security markets, that ulimately led the overtension that precipated the business collapse of 1930.

France now shares with the United States in holding the greater part of the world's supply, and France today is one prosperous country on the European continent. Whether France will overcapitalize its gold remains to be seen.

tion of the worl supply, or else the discovery of new mines that will swell the totaal supply. Aad economists recognize that more evenly distributed prosperity is necessary for stability of the world's business,for prosperity in one or two countries soon leads to unhealthy inflation without the solid support of purchasing power from other nations.

Where to find the new supply of the precious metal is the question agitating mining experts. From the international authority, John Hays Hammond, recently came the disquieting statement that his associates and himself have been conducfor the last two years, with the conclusion that it is doubtful if any new fields comparable to South Africa will be discovered. He further belives that a short age in the next decade or two is possible.

This possibilty of world gold shortage has encouraged the re-examinationand re-opening in many instance recently of mines in the older fields in the western states, the Mother Lode district in California, Alaska and Cripple Creek in Colorado, the Oatman district in Arizona have all invited new scrutiny from mining experts, while prospectors again are looking forpromoters for old claims and are out for new ones.

The repening of old mines, however, is a proposition for private capital, able to finance instalation and methods. Large scale operation is required if such activities are to show profit. ,It is hardly a venture inviting flotation of shares for public sale, at least until operations are on a profitable basis. And the public imaginations, furthermore, is not so readily captured by the workings of old mines as by the discovery of new ones.

Some mining authorities as well as some finical interests are advocting the reintroducting o fthe silver question as the answer to both the gold silver problems. Giving a fixed value to silver in relation to gold, which is established on a world value of $20.67 an ounce, would relieve the preasure, according to the silver interest's point of view."

WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY EXCURSIONS AUTHORIZED BY WESTERN RAIL LINES

Special roundtrip excursions, providing for travel between seven western states, have been authorized over Washington's Birthday by Southern Pacific, Santa Fe, Western Pacific and Sacramento Northern railroads, according to joint announcement today.

Featured by unusually low fares, the holiday offering of transportation "bargains" will be available from February 20 to 23, with return limit of February 25, it was stated.

The territory covered by the special order includes all points west of Ogden and Salt Lake City, from Portland in the north to Albuquerque El Paso in the south.

MOTORISTS SHOULD PLACE PLATES PROPERLY

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 13.—With thousands of motorists of California receiving their 1931 license plates from the Division of Motor Vehicles through the mails daily, the division advised these motorists today to see that the plates are installed properly on their cars.

The law requires that plates be 24 inches from the ground and that they be visible. This means that they must not be behinl bumpers or spare tires or installed at an angle that would make their reading difficult.

The division is now shipping the plates out as rapidly as they can be tabulated.

Mrs. Jack Williams left Tuesday for Ellensburg, Wash., where she will visit with her daughter, Mrs. Ray Chenoweth.

Local Happenings

Miss Georgia English of North Columbia, has gone to Berkeley where she will spend some time with relatives.

Joe Korn, veteran commercial traveler representing Zellerbach Paper Company, was here on a business trip.

Miss Ada Pierce drove up from Sacramento to spend the week-end visiting relatives.

Mrs. Frank Davies left Sunday on a visit with relatives in Vallejo and Berkeley.

Mrs. F. W. Medlin has returned from Sacramento where she has been spending the past few months witn relatives and friends.

Mrs. Frank J. Brophy of Berkeley is visiting her mother, Mrs. C. J. English of the Rose Valley ranch near North Columbia.

Judge and Mrh. Raglan Tuttle have returned from San Francisco where they attended the funeral of Mrs. Tuttle's late sister, Mrs. V. V. Mosher.

Mrs. Niles P. Searls, executive secretary of the Oakland Camp Fire Group, and Miss Evelyn Kendall, her assistant, were visitors in this city. They were accompanied by Messrs M. D. Stol and A. Barton of Oakland and an inspection for contemplated improvements at Camp Celio, the groups campsite on Lake Vera, was made.

Mr .and Mrs. Frank S. Hartman of Oakland were week-end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Perry.

an attack of pneumonia several an attack of ?pneumonia several months ago was down for the first time Tuesday greeting friends who are glad to see him greatly improved.

City Clerk Calanan has returned from a business trip to San Francisco.

TO QUIET TITLE TO MINING LAND TRACT

Charles Dart, as administrator of the estate of the late @rant Dart, has commenced an action in the superior court against James E. Williams and W. E. Parsons to quiet title to a parcel of land owned by Grant Dart in hi his life time, and upon which he gave the defendants option to purchase on October 26, 1923.

The option was for the purpose of working a quartz ledge in the property. The defendants did not do any work on the property and on October 24, 1924, signed a document releasing all right and title to the property.

It is alleged they now have attempted to repudiate the document, denying its execution ,and suit to clear up the title was necessary.

E. H. Armstrong and W. E. Wright are attorneys for Dart.

MRS. PARSONS TO GIVE BENEFIT BRIDGE PARTY

Mrs. C. E. Parsons is opening her home today for a bridge party for the benefit of the Red Cross Relief Fund which has failed to reach the necessary quota in Nevada.

Last night Mrs. Parsons stated that she had eleven tables engaged. A prize will be give for the high score at each table playing and refreshments will be served. Bridge, whist and Mah Jong will be played.

It is not necessary to engage a whole table in order to play but those desiring to play should call Mrs. Parsons at once.

SANITARIUM NOTES

Mrs. W. H. Hustler, who was operated on last week, is recovering rapidly which is remarkable for a woman of her advanced age.

Mrs. Thomas Oliver has returned to her home much improved by her stay in the sanitarium.

Henry Schroeder, who was injured when he endeavored to stop his automobile which started down the hill after he had parked it, is recovering nicely from a pair of broken ribs.

FINDS RARE COIN

A. Dominick of the Union Hotel unearthed a rare old Spanish coin while digging back of that place the early part of this week. The coin is about the size of a 50-cent piece but is only about two-thirds as thick. It is silver and bears name of Garolus IIII and the date, which is quite legible, is 1797. As this coin is 133 years old, it is thought it may be worth considerable from a collector's standpoint.

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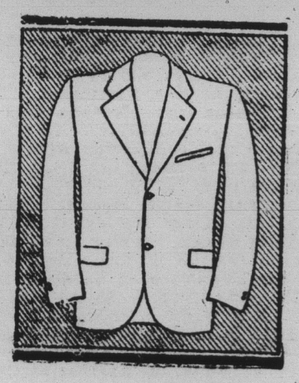

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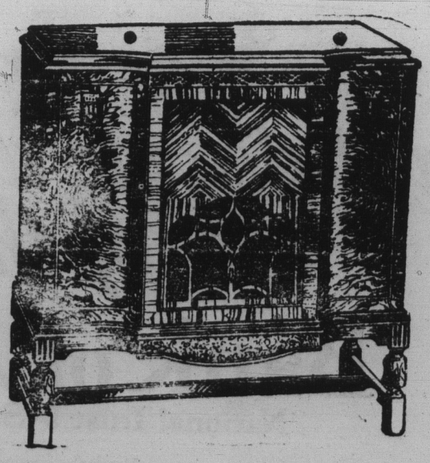

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